

Grace Episcopal Church
Daily Bible Reading – Read the Bible in One Year
Sunday Reflections: Sunday, February 23, 2014
9:10 am – 9:40 am

Session Today:

Prayer

O Lord, let us pray today that the eyes of our hearts may be enlightened
by our reading of the Word, in order that we may know the hope
to which you have called us and
the power for us to act and believe.
In the Name of Jesus. Amen

(from an idea of Erika Dawson)

Thoughts, Reflections, Insights, Questions of readings to date: Day 47 – Day 53

Readings:

2/16	47	Deuteronomy 17:1 – 20:20
2/17	48	Deuteronomy 21:1 – 25: 19
2/18	49	Deuteronomy 26:1 – 30:20
2/19	50	Deuteronomy 31:1 – 34:12
2/20	51	Joshua 1:1 – 3:17
2/21	52	Joshua 4:1 – 6:27
2/22	53	Joshua 7:1 – 11:23

Stream or Thoughts on the text:

- 47: local & central sanctuary justice, Levi priesthood, raising of new prophet, cities of refuge, holy war
 - 48: unsolved murders, women's rights, living with neighbor, marriage rights, social harmony
 - 49: new land liturgies, worship, curses, blessings, foreign invasion, Moab covenant, restoration
 - 50: Moses final instructions, Josh installed, Moses sings, blessing of 12 tribes, seeing land, M dies.
- Book of Joshua – 6th book, called former prophets of histories, conquest and allotment of land,
Written 600 BC – 500 BC?
- 51: Josh appointment, Rahab and the spies, Crossing of Jordon, led by priests
 - 52: Ark and Jordon River, 12 stone memorial, circumcise the nation, Lord's commander, march
 - 53: Taking of devoted things, slaughtering all in way 3x, 5 kings of cities, took the whole land

Prayer

Check out: New Oxford Bible, 4th Edition, notes on Historical Books & Joshua

Text: The NRSV Daily Bible, HarperCollins Publishers, © 2012, ISBN 9780062008466 or Bible of your choice. Notebook or Journal or Notes in Bible. Dave's notes, reflection, background, etc.

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